

# THE OXFORD COUNTY CITIZEN

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BETHEL, MAINE, THURSDAY, JUNE 28, 1934.

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## BETHEL AND VICINITY

Jack Gill was in Portland Saturday.

Mrs. Asa Bartlett is confined to her home by illness.

F. E. Russell has been visiting his brother at Naples.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. McPhail of Brighton, Mass., were in town over Sunday.

Mrs. Herman Robertson has gone to Boston for a short visit with relatives.

Richard Davis returned Sunday from a visit in New York and Massachusetts.

Miss Jennie Rich of Berlin, N. H., was the guest of Miss Annie Hamlin Sunday.

Mrs. Eva B. Fox is enjoying a vacation from her duties at the Community Hospital at Rumford.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold McDonough of Watertown, Mass., are visiting Mrs. Scott Robertson.

Sherman Davis of Dorchester, Mass., is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Davis.

Miss Georgene Faulkner of Chicago is visiting her sister, Mrs. W. R. Chapman, and family.

The local Stowell-MacGregor Corp. will close Thursday noon for the remainder of the week.

Mrs. Harry Cole of Malden, Mass., is visiting her sister, Mrs. Lucian Littlehale.

Wilson Bartlett had the misfortune to cut his leg Monday while working in the woods.

Mr. and Mrs. Freeland Clark of Wilton are spending the week at their home here.

Mr. and Mrs. G. N. Sanborn were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Adams at Shelburne.

Mr. and Mrs. Grant Maxson of Portland were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. G. N. Sanborn.

Mr. and Mrs. Lucian Littlehale and son Frank were Sunday guests of Mrs. Jennie King of Buckfield.

A public dinner will be served July 4th at the Methodist Church under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid.

Mrs. Frank Cummings and Mrs. Harry Coburn of Auburn were guests of Mrs. C. W. Hall last Friday.

Miss Ruth Cummings returned Monday from Hyde Park, N. Y., where she has been spending a few days.

Thomas Wight of Gorham, N. H., was the guest of his sister, Mrs. Mina Harriman, the first of the week.

Stanley Allen has gone to Portland, N. H., where he has employment for the summer at the Westworth.

Mrs. Parker Conner and son Harold went to Lewiston Tuesday where Harold had his tonsils removed.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Dunham of Battle Creek, Mich., were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Perley Parker recently.

The Misses and Eleanor and Ruth Cummings of Rumford are visiting their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Clark.

Mrs. H. I. Bean and daughter Muriel are spending the week with her daughter, Mrs. Harvey Jones, and family at Auburn.

The annual meeting and picnic of the Mothers' Club has been changed from Wednesday to Friday of this week, meeting at the home of Mrs. Fannie Carter at Middle Intervale.

Jack Chapman, who has been seriously ill at the Maine General Hospital, Portland, for the past two weeks, is expected to return to his home in Gilead next week.

Mrs. Ralph Gullow and daughter Joan of Boston visited her mother and sister, Mrs. Mabel Beckler and Miss Helen Beckler, last week. Miss Joan is remaining here for the summer.

Dr. J. N. Hart, dean of the University of Maine, accompanied by Mrs. Hart and her sister, Miss Lotte Fottler, were in town Friday and Saturday of last week and stopped at Maple Inn.

Robert Sanborn will return to his duties as carrier on R. F. D. 1, next Monday after an enforced vacation of several weeks caused by injuries received while operating a tractor at his farm at Middle Intervale.

Howard Bailey went to East Gilead to stick boards at Sturgis' mill last week. Soon after he arrived there he had the misfortune to lose a horse and was back in town Sunday to purchase another from Newell Godwin.

## 1934-35 TEACHERS FOR BETHEL-GILEAD-GREENWOOD MASON DISTRICT ANNOUNCED

Supt. E. R. Bowdoin announces the following list of teachers for the coming year:

**BETHEL**

Grammar School: Principal and 8th grade, Herbert R. Bean; 7th grade, Mrs. Olive Lurvey; 6th grade, Miss Electa Chapin; 5th grade, Mrs. Dorothy Tucker. Primary school: 4th grade, Miss Alice Ballard; 3d grade, Miss Mary Lee-man; 2d grade, Miss Maxine Clough; Principal and 1st grade, Mrs. Ethel P. Bisbee. East Bethel, Grammar, Mrs. Floubel Nevins; Primary, Miss Alta Brooks. West Bethel: Grammar, Miss Hazel Grover; Primary, Miss Iva Bartlett. Northwest Bethel, Miss Ruby Bennett. South Bethel, Miss Frances Bean. Middle Intervale, not filled.

**GREENWOOD**

Locke Mills: Grammar, Mrs. Louvie Coffin; Primary, Miss Gladys Salls. Greenwood Center, Miss Mary Martin. Greenwood City, Mrs. Colista Morgan. Patch Mountain, Miss Hazel Salls. Richardson Hollow, Miss Sylvia Morgan. Tubbs, Miss Maude Salls.

**GILEAD**

Miss Clarice Whittier.

**MASON**

Miss Marion Skillings.

**BE NOT ALARMED**

The good people of Bethel and many and sundry visitors are treated to fleeting glimpses of fairyland these June days. Tree nymphs and mist maidens are flitting among the historic trees of Broad street. The spirit of primeval days runs rampant on Elm Street and semi-nude braves are stalking with scalping knife and bow and arrow.

Patriotism and many a beautiful tableau are seen frequently on the lawn of Mrs. F. O. Robertson as she rehearses with the lovely characters included in the third episode of the pageant to be presented here, July 4th. Groups of folk dancers in gay peasant and national costumes make a large part of the beauty of this third episode.

An outline of "America, Then and Now," follows:

Spirit of Indian Days, Miss Alene Clifford.

The spirit speaks—The corn dance—Arrival of a visiting tribe—Laying of the Peace Pipe.

Spirit of the Wilderness, Miss Beatrice Merrill.

The spirit speaks—Appearance of wild roses, butterflies, poppies, grasshoppers, trees, tree nymphs, mist maidens—Arrival of Pioneers—Pioneers overcome the forests.

Spirit of Patriotism, Mrs. I. L. Carver.

Spirit of State

Little Town Spirit

Little Town Interests, Rural school, church.

Grown Town Interests.

Christianity—Education—Community Spirit—Music—Art—Drama—Welfare—Play.

The Bethel Boy Scouts under the leadership of H. R. Bean are making thorough preparations for a gala appearance. The Pine Cone Troop of the Girl Scouts have new uniforms.

Winfield Howe, as chairman of the parade committee, reports splendid co-operation on the part of the townspeople and historic floats and many amusing and interesting conveyances are promised.

Two ball games, a midway of entertainment and out-door sports for the children are not the least to anticipate.

The after dark display of fireworks will be large and brilliant.

The location is Church Street. The town is Bethel, the date is July 4th, and we hope you will all come.

**NEW UNIFORMS FOR BETHEL PLAYERS**

The local baseball team now shines in new uniforms which have been furnished by these local concerns:

Irving L. Carver

H. C. Rowe

J. P. Butts

Allen's Shoe Store

Central Service Station

Robertson's Service Station

Maple Inn

Oxford County Citizen

Allen's Meat Market

Bryant's Market

"Cad" Bennett

Farwell & Wight's

## BOWDOIN RE-ELECTED

At the meeting of the joint school committee of the Bethel-Gilead-Greenwood-Mason district Friday evening, it was voted to reelect E. R. Bowdoin as superintendent for one year.

## BREWER GIRL APPOINTED AS OXFORD HOME AGENT

Ruth Callaghan, South Brewer, has been appointed Home Demonstration Agent for Oxford County effective July 1 and succeeding Ada Brewster, Arthur L. Deering, Director of the Extension Service announced recently.

Since February Miss Callaghan has been assistant agent for Waldo county during the illness of Agnes Masse. She also had three months experience in Aroostook county prior to going to Waldo. Following her high school preparation in Brewer Miss Callaghan entered the University of Maine in 1929. She received a bachelor of science degree in 1933.

Among the extra curricula activities in which she engaged were: Member of Honorary Society for Sophomore Women; President of the Home Economic Club; President of the Sorority; Society Chairman of the Y. W. C. A. and a member of the All Maine Women.

Aroostook and Waldo county residents and others who can speak with authority concerning her qualifications and training believe Miss Callaghan to be well qualified for her duties in Oxford County.

Miss Arlene C. Goddard received her diploma from Burdett College at the graduation exercises in Tremont Temple, Boston, last Friday.

## TWENTY-SIX DIVORCES GRANTED AT JUNE TERM SUPERIOR COURT

In the case of Herbert Ames of Mexico vs. Belloni Mallet of Jay for \$10,000 damages in an automobile collision the hearing of which began on Tuesday of last week, testimony showed that previous to the accident Mr. Ames had suffered from asthma but had been worse since then. He also suffered great pain from chest and back injuries. The accident occurred in Mexico on the night of Aug. 4, 1932 when a loaded oil truck driven by Mallet collided with Ames' car. The jury returned a verdict awarding Ames \$1200.12 Friday afternoon.

Raymond Tenney of Auburn was sentenced to the Reformatory for larceny of an outboard motor from a South Paris filling station.

Fred Blodau was sentenced to pay a fine of \$100 on a charge of drunken driving.

William Naimy of Oxford sought to recover \$100 damages from Martin Lebeau of Westbrook. Lebeau's truck was parked without lights on a hill on the Portland-Gray road, Aug. 9, 1932, and Naimy collided with it in the fog. The verdict was returned Saturday morning in favor of the defendant.

Sentences of two months in jail and \$100 fine with six months additional in default of payment were given two men Monday: John Kneuer, charged with illegal possession, and Herbert Curtis having beer in his possession. Both lived in Mexico.

Herbert Damon of Albany was sentenced to serve six months in jail on the charge of cheating under false pretences. He was placed on probation for two years.

Charles Shang of Malden, Mass., was sentenced to serve not less than one year nor more than two years on the charge of cheating under false pretences.

Twenty-six divorces were granted:

Eloise A. Tyler, Rumford, vs. Roger C. Tyler, Rumford, gross and confirmed habits of intoxication, the libellant to change her name to Eloise Abbott.

Laura Kennedy Babb, Dixfield, vs. Raymond O. Babb, Washington, D. C., desertion.

Rosie L. McNeill, Canton, vs. John B. McNeill, Canton, non-support. Custody of minor child, Henry Perley, given to mother.

Edna Hartford, Hiram, vs. Fred C. Hartford, Hiram, cruel and abusive treatment.

Ralph E. Dyer, Dixfield, vs. Miriam E. Dyer, Paris, cruel and abusive treatment.

Etta Goldthwaite, Fryeburg, vs. Nelson Goldthwaite, Fryeburg, cruel and abusive treatment. Custody of Edwin, William and Herbert Goldthwaite to the mother.

## BETHEL IN TWO LEAGUE GAMES COMING WEEK

On Sunday Bethel journeys to Mechanic Falls where a battle royal will be waged as both teams are tied for the league lead with three wins apiece. A great game is expected as the league supremacy is in the air and our boys are out to do or die.

On Wednesday, July 4, Bethel takes on West Paris in another hot league encounter and as always West Paris comes with a strong team and another battle royal is expected.

## ANNOUNCE ENGAGEMENT

Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Barker of Hanover have announced the engagement of their daughter, Mary Roberts, to Wilbur Thomas Sanford of Milford, Connecticut.

Miss Barker graduated from Stephens High School in 1930, and from Katharine Gibbs Secretarial School in Boston in 1932. Mr. Sanford attended Northeastern University in Boston and is now employed by the Standard Oil Company in New Haven.

The wedding will take place in the late summer.

## CORRECTION

Several errors crept into the summary of primary election results in last week's Citizen. The Republican candidate for Clerk of Courts is Rupert F. Aldrich of Norway; for Sheriff, Norman U. Greenlaw of Norway; and the Democratic candidate for U. S. Senator is F. Harold Dubord of Waterville.

## HERBERT R. BEAN COMMANDER-ELECT OF MAINE LEGION

Bethel Man Honored at Bangor Convention Wednesday—Long Prominent in Legion Affairs

In a spirited contest near the close of the annual convention of the Maine Department of the American Legion at Bangor Wednesday afternoon, Herbert R. Bean of Bethel defeated Charles E. Kavanaugh of Bangor in the contest for the State Commander, receiving 98 votes to his opponent's 75.

Although not a native of Bethel Mr. Bean has long been associated with the town. He graduated from Gould Academy and with other Bethel boys enlisted in 1917. After his return he attended Bates College and Yale University, and has since engaged in teaching. He has been principal of the grammar school for the past five years and scoutmaster of the local Boy Scout troop since it was organized three years ago. He has served the local post of the Legion as commander and has been prominent in the Council and all Legion projects.

## SPANISH WAR VETERANS' REUNION AT BRYANT POND

The Annual Reunion of Veterans of the War with Spain will be held at Dearborn Grove, Bryant Pond, Sunday July 1st.

All Spanish War Veterans, their families and friends, are invited to come prepared for a picnic. Music and other entertainment will be had. The gathering will be held under the management of the United Spanish War Veterans of Oxford County.

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## WITH THE POETS

To Our Readers—If there is an old song or poem which you cannot find and would like to see in print, write the Citizen. If we are unable to locate it possibly another reader can furnish it for publication.

## THE ZOO

Pauline Pearl Strachan  
in "Our Dumb Animals"

Their eyes reveal the memories  
Of cool, deep grass,  
Of high, green aisles and fringed  
pools  
Where creatures pass  
In freedom from congealing fear  
Of hunting man or prison drear.

They still recall the melodies  
Of birds, the jeweled notes  
Which pierced the firmament at  
dawn  
From gay, unfettered throats;  
A brave, undaunted sun at noon,  
At night a silver disc of moon.

These rigid bars inclose  
The mighty stride  
Of free-born creatures cramped in  
cage  
A few yards wide—  
A foot that once had felt no bound  
Now chained to one gray lump of  
ground.

But let not pity kindle into flame.  
All this is done in Education's  
name.

## TRIALS OF CHILDHOOD

Woman's World

The thing I wish more than most  
anything—  
More than a Shetland pony or a  
talking doll—  
I wish that I'd been born so that I  
knew everything,  
And didn't have to study out of  
books at all.

Suppose I knew and didn't have to  
learn  
The Revolution and the reasons  
for the fight;  
That dates just as easy to me as my  
name—  
I could speak up and answer all  
my teacher's questions right.

I wouldn't have to strain my eyes  
and tire my mind,  
I wouldn't have to work when I  
had rather play—  
I'd run and jump and climb and  
roll my hoop  
And have a glorious time the  
whole long day.

My teacher says that little girls  
must learn  
Or they'll be made ashamed when  
they are grown.  
But I can't see the reason why we  
can't  
Be born with all this history stuff  
already known.

## Perkins Valley — Woodstock

Oliver Laurence has the measles.  
He is working at Watford.

Mrs. Elmer Waterhouse and her  
daughters, Geraldine and Gloria,  
were Sunday guests of Emma Per-  
ham.

Faye Littlehale has been visiting  
Doris Perry at South Paris for a  
few days.

The Seventh Day Adventist  
Church and Church School in being  
painted inside and out.

Alta Hendrickson was a guest of  
Eda Waterhouse at West Paris on  
Thursday.

Alta Hendrickson carried a truck  
load of 25 people to Norway Sunday  
night to hear Elder Rolfe's stereo-  
opticon lecture.

Frank Perkins returned to his  
home in Andover Monday. Mrs.  
Perkins will remain here for an  
indefinite time visiting relatives.

She is in better health this sum-  
mer than she was last winter.

Nelson Perham and family were  
supper guests Monday of their son,  
Melford Perham, and wife.

Amner Benson is working at  
West Paris helping on the founda-  
tion for Maurice Benson's new  
home.

Mary and Alta Hendrickson, May-  
nard Fleming, Beatrice and Harold  
Andrews are planning to start next  
Sunday for the World's Fair in  
Chicago. They will be gone three  
weeks and will visit several places  
of interest while enroute.

## Call at O. K. CLIFFORD CO., INC.

South Paris, Maine

See the new Reo, 1 1/2-2 1/2 ton 164 in. Wheelbase Speedwagon  
with the Reo "Cold Crown" engine, 350 cubic inch piston displace-  
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has Full Floating rear axle, Four Wheel Hydraulic brakes, 24 1/2  
square inch braking surface, 50"x2 1/4" rear spring, 40"x2" front,  
7.00x29 tires, single front, dual rear. In all there are 15 distinct  
superiorities.

NEW CHILDREN'S BOOKS AT  
THE BETHEL LIBRARY

The Bobbsey Twins at Home,  
Laura Lee Hope

The Bobbsey Twins on Blueberry  
Island, Laura Lee Hope

The Bobbsey Twins and Baby May,  
Laura Lee Hope

The Bobbsey Twins at Snow Lodge,  
Laura Lee Hope

The Bobbsey Twins in the Great  
West, Laura Lee Hope

The Bobbsey Twins on the Deep  
Blue Sea, Laura Lee Hope

The Bobbsey Twins at the County  
Fair, Laura Lee Hope

The Bobbsey Twins Keeping House,  
Laura Lee Hope

Bunny Brown and His Sister Sue  
on an Auto Tour, Laura Lee Hope

Bunny Brown and His Sister Sue  
at a Sugar Camp, Laura Lee Hope

Mary Jane at School,  
Clara Ingram Judson

Firelight Stories,  
Carolyn Sherwin Bailey

The Child's World, Hetty S. Browne

The Andrew Lang Readers Series  
III, (edited by) Andrew Lang

The Andrew Lang Readers Series  
V, (edited by) Andrew Lang

Everyday Classics,  
Baker and Thorndyke

Francesca at Hinterwald,  
Joan Spyri

The Princess and the Goblin,  
Geo MacDonald

The Blythe Girls, Helen Margy and  
Rose, Laura Lee Hope

Ruth Fielding of the Red Mill,  
Alice B. Emerson

Betty Gordon at Mountain Camp,  
Alice B. Emerson

Bunny Rabbit's Diary,  
Mary F. Blaisdell

Honey Bunch: Her First Trip  
on the Ocean, Helen F. Thorndyke

Honey Bunch: Her First Visit  
to the City, Helen L. Thorndyke

Honey Bunch: Her First Days  
on the Farm,  
Helen L. Thorndyke

Honey Bunch: Her First Visit  
to the Seashore, Helen L. Thorndyke

Arabian Nights and Other Stories  
Three Little Pigs  
Sarah Crewe,

Frances Hodgson Burnett  
Neighbors, Mary E. Laing

Little Baba, Geo Mitchell

Fairy Tales, Grimm's and Anderson

The Children's Pilgrimage,  
Mrs. L. T. Meade

Frances of the Ranges,  
Amy Bell Marlowe

Uncle Wiggily's Rheumatism,  
Howard R. Garis

Uncle Wiggily on a Farm,  
Howard R. Garis

Janey, Frances M. Fox

Alice's Adventures in Wonderland,  
Retold by J. C. Grahame

Mrs. Peter Rabbit,  
Thornton W. Burgess

## NEWRY

Mrs. Roger Foster is assisting  
at the Bible Class being held at  
North Newry for two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. George Learned  
were in Rumford one day last week  
shopping.

Mrs. Walter Powers was a guest  
Tuesday at H. E. Harlow's.

Mrs. Edna Smith and two chil-  
dren are visiting at Charles  
Carey's.

The farm Bureau met last Wed-  
nesday with Mrs. Fred Kilgore at  
North Newry with a big attendance.

Mrs. Bertha Bean of Sunday  
River was a guest of Mrs. Walter  
Powers recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Carey and  
children were Sunday callers at  
W. N. Powers.

## RESOLUTIONS OF RESPECT

Whereas, God in His infinite wis-  
dom has called from our midst His  
servant Mary Brooks to the home  
above:

Whereas, we bow our heads in  
submission to our Master's Will,  
we deeply feel the loss of our Sis-  
ter, who so cheerfully did her part;

Therefore, be it resolved, that we  
extend our deepest sympathy to  
her loved ones in their time of sor-  
row.

Resolved that a copy of these  
resolutions be placed upon our re-  
cords, a copy sent to the family,  
and one to the Oxford County Cit-  
izen for publication, and that our  
charter be draped for a period of  
thirty days.

ELLA CLARK,

MRS. S. JODREY,

MRS. F. RUSSELL

Bethel Grange, June 22, 1934.

## STATE OF MAINE

To all persons interested in either  
of the Estates hereinafter named.  
At a Probate Court, held at  
Paris, in and for the County of  
Oxford, on the third Tuesday of  
June, in the year of our Lord one  
thousand nine hundred and thirty-  
four, and by adjournment from day  
to day from the third Tuesday of  
said June. The following matters  
having been presented for the ac-  
tion thereupon hereinafter in-  
dicated, it is hereby ORDERED:

That, notice thereof be given to  
all persons interested, by causing  
a copy of this order to be published  
three weeks successively in the Ox-  
ford County Citizen a newspaper  
published at Bethel, in said County,  
that they may appear at a Pro-  
bate Court to be held at said Paris,  
on the third Tuesday of July, A. D.  
1934, at 9 of the clock in the fore-  
noon, and be heard thereon if they  
see cause.

Mary Brooks, late of Bethel, de-  
ceased; Petition for the appoint-  
ment of D. Grover Brooks as ad-  
ministrator of the estate of said  
deceased, without bond, presented  
by D. Grover Brooks, an heir at  
law.

Emily J. Philbrook, late of Fells-  
mere, Florida, deceased; first ac-  
count presented for allowance by  
Jesse Philbrook King, executrix.

Fannie B. Sanborn, late of  
Bethel, deceased; first and final  
account presented for allowance by  
Ada M. Power, administratrix.

Witness, Peter M. MacDonald,  
Judge of said Court at Paris, this  
19th day of June in the year of our  
Lord one thousand nine hundred  
and thirty-four.

14 FRED W. ROWELL, Register.

## NORTH NEWRY

John B. Matthews and family of  
Malden, Mass., arrived at their  
camp here Saturday, where they  
will spend the summer.

Dave Enman is tearing down his  
logging camps which he built here  
last Fall and trucking the lumber  
back to "Horseshoe Valley". An-  
dover, where he is lumbering.

Ray Hanson of Errol was a  
guest Sunday at Hartley Han-  
scom's.

Miss Elizabeth Wight spent last  
week in Kennebunkport, the guest  
of Mrs. E. M. Wildes.

Clifford W. Lawes preached a  
farewell sermon Sunday here, as  
he is to leave the work in the  
Larger Parish to attend school.

The council members of the  
Larger Parish attended a meeting  
of that body Friday night at Errol.  
The church supper was at Mrs.  
F. W. Wight's Wednesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Soule of  
Burlington, Vt., are here for a  
week's fishing trip.

Sisters of Bear River Grange who  
are not solicited please bring cake  
Saturday night.

Mr. Corliss of the U. S. Dept. of  
Agriculture is testing cattle in this  
section. Willard Wight is assisting  
him.

A Vacation Bible School of two  
weeks is in session under the able  
direction of Miss Doughty.

## PROBATE APPOINTMENTS

The following subscribers here-  
by give notice that they have re-  
ceived appointments as indicated  
from the Probate Court of Oxford  
County. All persons having de-  
mands against the estates repre-  
sented by them are desired to pre-  
sent the same for settlement, and  
all indebted thereto are requested  
to make payment immediately:

George C. Brownell, late of  
Watford in the County of Oxford,  
deceased; Ellery C. Park of Bethel,  
administrator with the Will an-  
nexed, without bond, June 19, 1934.

Leland A. Edwards, late of  
Bethel, in the County of Oxford,  
deceased; Bertha A. Edwards of  
said Bethel, administratrix with  
bond, June 19, 1934.

## NORTH WOODSTOCK

Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Buck and  
family visited Mrs. Buck's brother,  
James Brown, and family at An-  
dover on Sunday.

Mrs. John Hemingway and Mr.  
Cullen Abbott visited Mrs. Ben-  
jamin Abbott one afternoon last  
week.

Shirley Brown visited relatives  
at South Paris last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Whitman  
were at Norway Sunday.

Mrs. Willis McGuire of Dixfield  
visited last week with her parents,  
Mr. and Mrs. George Cushman.

Willis McGuire and Mr. and Mrs.  
Lupert McGuire were week end  
guests there.

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## CANNING CONTEST STARTED FOR COMMUNITY AND STATE

A canning contest both county and state in which Maine women will have a chance to earn possible prize money in their own kitchens has been announced by Theresa E. Wood, foods specialist for the Extension Service.

"The requirements," she says, "are simple." Two jars must be exhibited (one fruit or berries and one a non-acid vegetable). The exhibit must be sent to the home demonstration agent in October.

County prizes offered are as follows:

1. Less than 20 exhibitors. No county prizes but first place jars are eligible for State Prizes.
2. 20 to 40 exhibitors. Two dozen jars.
3. 41 to 75 exhibitors. First, \$3; second, \$2; third and fourth 1 dozen jars each.
4. 76 to 100 exhibitors. First, \$5; second, \$3; third, \$2; fourth and fifth, 1 dozen jars each.

Seventy five dollars are offered in state prizes as follows: First place \$20; second \$15; third, \$10; and fourth to ninth \$5, each.

Money for the prizes is being offered by a large manufacturer of canning equipment.

## GREENWOOD CENTER

Miss Cecille Roberts has employment at Lewiston.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Jacobs and family of Berlin were at Camp Wagner over the week end.

Mrs. Edwin Farr of West Poland has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ross Martin. Martin Farr is visiting there now.

Mrs. Laura Seames attended the dance at West Sumner Saturday evening.

Peter Barbalius of Lewiston has been stopping at the camp owned by Atty. Nicholas Harthas of Mechanic Falls. Atty. and Mrs. Harthas and son were at the camp on Sunday.

Roy Edwards, Roy Lapham, Mr. Gillett and Franklin Megger of Mechanic Falls are tenting in this place and are peeling pulp at the relay lot.

Visitors and callers at R. L. Martin's Sunday were: Mr. and Mrs. Jackson Cummings and daughter, Kathryn, Fred Waterhouse, Myrtle Waterhouse, Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Jones of West Paris, Roy Barker and Miss Beatrice Edwards of Norway, Mr. and Mrs. Victor Hartford and son, Leroy of Stevens Mills, Miss Nye of Mechanic Falls, Lee Hills of Albany, Everett Cross and Gordon Roberts of Locke Mills.

## HOW MUCH DO YOU KNOW?

## Questions

1. How many men in a jury?
2. What is Ralph Connor's real name?
3. How many tastes are there?
4. Name the Great Lakes.
5. What is it called when a body is disposed of by burning instead of burying?
6. Who invented the steamboat?
7. Who wrote "The Old Oaken Bucket"?
8. What is quicksand?
9. Who founded The Saturday Evening Post?
10. How were the Ten Commandments given to the Israelites?

## Answers to Last Week's Questions

1. Beethoven.
2. An association to protect birds.
3. The House of Representatives and the Senate.
4. Cleansing the temple.
5. By distilling with water the leaf and wood of the camphor tree.
6. Peat.
7. Jupiter.
8. Booker T. Washington.
9. Yarn.
10. W. C. T. U. organized in 1874.

## Auction

1 P. M.

SAT., JUNE 30

at the  
Congregational Parsonage  
BETHEL, MAINE

- 1 Antique Table
- 1 Overstuffed Set
- 1 Bedroom Set
- 1 Single Bed
- 1 Bookcase
- 1 Filing Cabinet
- 1 Dining Table and Chairs

And Other Household Articles

TERMS: CASH

Mrs. B. A. Edwards, Adm.

## WEST GREENWOOD

Herbert Winslow of Albany was a caller at Mr. Croteau's Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harrington were at East Bethel Sunday.

Mr. Johnson of Albany is cutting wood for John Deegan.

Mr. and Mrs. Bartlett and family called on her sister Sunday.

Curtis Winslow and friend were at Croteau's Sunday.

Charles Bartlett of Hanover was in town recently.

Earl Cummings' two daughters from Rumford called on their aunt, Mrs. B. Harrington, Saturday.

Mr. Corey of Boston called at Mr. Croteau's Saturday.

Mrs. Croteau called on her grandmother at West Bethel Saturday.

Paul Croteau is working for Ed Smith of Bethel cutting pulp wood.

Dick Laurence is working in Albany cutting pulp wood and boarding at Arthur Cross's.

Miss Harrington and two school teachers have gone to Quebec and to other parts of Canada.

Miss Harris Hathaway and her daughter, of Bryant Pond, called on Mrs. Dearden one day last week.

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THURSDAY, JUNE 28, 1934.

## BETHEL NEEDS

More and Better Sidewalks—winter  
and summer,  
Rural Fire Protection,  
Night Watchman—All the Year—  
Enforced Traffic Rules,  
Australian Ballot System for Town  
Meetings.Little Don, aged four, stood  
watching the rain beat down. "Mo-  
ther, does President Roosevelt make  
it rain?""Oh, no, dear; God makes it  
rain," answered the mother."But, mother, does President  
Roosevelt tell him to?"—Parents

## DEATH ON THE HIGHWAY

Early in 1933, there were fewer  
automobile accidents than during  
the same period in 1932.During the last half of 1933, how-  
ever, the trend changed. In the  
year, 30,596 persons were killed—  
a 32 per cent advance over 1932.The automobile accident toll fol-  
lows the amount of gasoline used  
in the country with almost loving  
exactitude. During the first halfof 1933, for example, when gas con-  
sumption was 3 per cent below the  
same period in 1932, there were  
fewer accidents. During the lasthalf gas use was 2.5 per cent above  
—and the accident record soared  
accordingly. The dangerous driverseems to have learned little from  
the ghastly experience of the past.  
He still exaggerates the safetyfactors of better cars and roads.  
He still cuts in and out of traffic,  
still passes on blind curves and  
hills, still takes a chance to save asecond. And he leaves behind him  
a chamber of deaths and injuries  
and needlessly ruined property.Everything that mechanical and  
road engineers can do to make mo-  
toring safer, in being done—an ex-  
tremely small percentage of acci-  
dents can be blamed on car failureor poor roads. The accident prob-  
lem is purely an individual one—  
resting with each auto owner, and  
with the authorities who make and

enforce traffic ordinances.

In 1933 four states, whose names  
recede being recorded on an "Hon-  
or Roll," achieved declines in  
their death rate—Illinois, Michi-  
gan, Virginia and Wisconsin. Other

states should strive to follow them.

"How can I best serve the woman  
I love" is a question asked Dor-  
othy Dix and her answer is mostly  
flagellate. I can give enough an-  
swer: If the woman you love isyour own wife, you can best serve  
her by behaving yourself and keep-  
ing your nose to the grindstone.  
If it is some one else's wife, by

jumping in the creek.

"My private opinion is that the  
big smashup is going to be  
next year, when tax bills come in  
and the people discover they have  
to be paid."—Henry L. Mencken.

## SOMEbody BLUNDERED

Study of the statistics reveals  
that a majority of the 750,000 auto-  
mobile accidents in the United  
States in 1933 occurred on straight  
dry roads in clear weather, andinvolved cars in good condition  
driven by persons with a year or  
more of experience. Over 75 per  
cent of these drivers were personsof mature age— from 25 to 64. The  
majority of the 34,000 deaths and  
350,000 injuries must be attributed  
to blunders.A recent analysis by the National  
Bureau of Casualty and Surety  
Underwriters shows what the blun-  
ders were. There were eight in  
all.1. Those ten fast for conditions  
—this accounted for approximately  
three-fourths of all mistakes in 1933  
assigned to driving blunders.2. Failed to slow down at inter-  
sections.

3. Failed to keep to the right.

## Presto! Change!

RIGHT BEFORE YOUR  
EYES I WILL CHANGE  
THE FIGURES FROM  
RED TO BLACK!THE READER  
COMMENTS

To the Editor:

On Friday, June 22, was held the  
meeting of the school committees  
of Bethel, Greenwood, Gilead and  
Mason at the Bethel Grammar  
school building and the following  
business transacted. After the us-  
ual opening formalities the meet-  
ing proceeded to the matter of  
choosing a Superintendent for the  
Joint School Union.A member of the Gilead Com-  
mittee promptly made a motion  
that E. R. Bowdoin be reelected  
for a term of three years at a  
salary of \$2600 a year, and this  
motion was immediately seconded  
by Mr. Cole of Greenwood.The chairman, Charles Cole of  
Gilead, then called for a vote and  
with Lamont Cole of Greenwood  
voting the whole three ballots of  
his committee, the ballot stood  
seven for reelection on that basis  
and five against, and the chairman  
declared it a vote.Two members of the Bethel Com-  
mittee then exercised the power of  
veto which a recent legislative act  
gives to towns paying more than  
one half the salary of the Super-  
intendent, and declared themselvesopposed to a three year election,  
also an election at the salary of  
\$2600, and also the reelection of  
Mr. Bowdoin. The third memberof the Bethel Committee and at  
least two members of the Mason  
Committee supported them in the  
veto of three year election and sal-  
ary of \$2600. After a discussion of  
the rights of the larger townscommittee and the qualifications of  
the present superintendent the  
chairman declared no vote and  
asked for a new motion.Mr. Hastings of Bethel then  
made a motion that Mr. Bowdoin  
be elected for one year at a salary  
of \$2400. This motion was second-  
ed and a ballot cast which result-  
ed in a count of ten affirmative

and two negative. Mr. Davis and

Mrs. Thurston of Bethel again ve-  
toed this election, voicing their be-  
lief that it was the wish of the  
majority of the people in Bethel  
that the present incumbent be  
dropped. So this brought the meet-  
ing to a deadlock again.Mr. Cole of Greenwood then made  
a motion that the several towns'  
proportions of salary be changed  
so that Greenwood would pay \$410,  
Bethel \$600, Gilead \$125, and Ma-  
son \$75, and that Mr. Bowdoin be  
reelected for a three year term on  
that basis. Mrs. Thurston of Bethel  
promptly objected, before this  
motion had time to be seconded.  
Mr. Cole allowed the objection,  
and opened both the motion and  
objection for discussion. Mrs.  
Thurston stated that her objection  
was due to the fact that it was  
apparent that the motion was made  
for the purpose of forcing onto the  
Town of Bethel a superintendent  
which a majority of its Committee  
didn't want, also that the motion  
should be separated and voted on  
separately as to salary readjust-  
ment and Superintendent. It de-  
veloped in discussion and reference  
to the school laws applicable to  
this point, that a joint committee  
by majority vote could change the  
proportion of salary each town  
should pay. This proposed read-  
justment would reduce the amount  
Bethel would pay by \$200, leave  
Gilead and Mason the same, and  
Greenwood represented by Mr. Cole  
was willing to make an increase in  
its amount.At this point Mr. Davis, chair-  
man of Bethel Committee, asked  
permission of the meeting to meet  
with his Committee privately which  
was granted. After a short recess  
the meeting was continued. Mr.  
Hastings asked Mr. Cole to with-  
draw his motion and Mrs. Thurston  
her objection which was done. Mr.  
Hastings then made a motion to  
employ Mr. Bowdoin for one year  
at a salary of \$1200 with the  
towns paying in the same propor-  
tions as in the past which was  
seconded and carried with Mr. Da-  
vis and Mrs. Thurston of Bethel  
not voting. The amount of \$1200  
was then changed to \$2400. After  
a short discussion regarding a  
change in the time of meeting of  
the Joint Committee it was voted  
to adjourn to the first Friday eve-  
ning in May, 1934, at 8:30 P. M.  
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the value of the farm products  
which we consumed," writes Mrs.  
Eva Kyes, North Jay. "Now I know  
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of cash to pay for them if we were  
buying them. Moreover I know how  
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### BRYANT POND 4-H HAS MOTHER'S DAY

The Bryant Pond 4-H Club met at the home of the leader, Mrs. Mann, with a large attendance for the Mother's Day Meeting. The meeting was opened by singing a song, giving a club pledge and flag salute. The Roll Call was responded to by giving a Mother's Day quotation. After the meeting a program, as follows was enjoyed:

Welcome, Pauline Brown Song, Margaret Howe and Beatrice Hathaway

Two demonstrations by Rachel Twifchell, Barbara Cole, Ida Cushman, Arline Buck

Lessons from our 4-H Club Pledge, Linona Yates, Myrtle Allen, Velma Cummings, Pauline Brown, Carolyn Dunham

Song by all

For keeping 4-H Club Reports up to date, on perfect attendance to the meetings chevrons were awarded to Pauline Brown, Shirley Brown, Ida Cushman, Rachel Twifchell, Barbara Cole, Arline Buck, Linona Yates, Myrtle Allen, Velma Cummings, Pauline Brown, Carolyn Dunham.

The Judging Muffins Blue Ribbon was awarded to Ida Cushman. Refreshments of punch and cake were served.

### Y. P. C. U. ORGANIZED AT BRYANT POND CHURCH

The Young People's Christian Union of the Universalist Church, Bryant Pond, was organized June 24, with the following officers:

President—Otis Dudley

Vice President and Director of Religious Activities—Bernard McMillan

Secretary and Treasurer—Evelyn Knight

Recreational Director—Mrs. Alice Dudley

Assistant Recreational Director—Dan Brown.

These officers with Rev. W. H. Lewry constitute the Cabinet. The constitution and bylaws were adopted. Plans are on the way to present a play the latter part of July. The next meeting will be on Monday, July 2, with Mr. Lewry, at 8 p. m.

### FOOD FALLACIES FADE IN THE TEST OF TIME

Yesterday's food fallacies disappeared in due time and we may expect the same of those of today, believes Therese E. Wood, foods specialist for the Extension Service.

"About a century ago," she says, "the rumor started that candy makes the teeth decay. Medical writers of that time claim this had no basis in experience but was the creation of the frugal housewife because of the high price of sugar. Today malnutritionists would hesitate to incriminate candy as a direct cause of tooth decay. But at the same time, they discourage excessive candy eating by children, because too much candy means drinking too little milk, and too little milk may lead directly to poor health and poor teeth."

### GREENWOOD CITY

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Day of Locke Mills were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Emmons.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Morgan were callers at Benham Cottage, Paris Hill on Saturday evening.

The first fourth of a mile of state road toward the Norway line, which has been in charge of Roy Millett, is nearly completed.

Annie Curtis and Fay Morgan were in Bethel on Saturday.

Mrs. Roy Millett and daughter, Alta, spent a few days last week with relatives at Cundy's Harbor.

Mrs. Clyde Morgan was in North Berwick Sunday to see her brother, Frank Curtis.

Miss Lena Robinson of Peru was the Sunday guest of her sister, Mrs. Roy Millett.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Betton and son, Frank, of Greens were callers at Clyde Morgan's one day recently.

Typewriters to Let, Citizen Office.

### JEFFERSON CHAPTER O. E. S., INSPECTED

Jefferson Chapter, O. E. S., of Bryant Pond held its stated meeting last Friday evening. It being inspection there was a large attendance. Worthy Grand Matron Gladys Walker of Pine Cone Chapter, Auburn, was present and inspected the Chapter. Many visitors were present. Nine chapters were represented.

After the meeting a short program was put on: A reading with encore by Ned Swan, vocal duet with encore by Worthy Grand Matron Gladys Walker and her sister, Alfreda Downing of Pine Cone Chapter. Refreshments of ice cream, cake and punch were served.

The chapter accepted an invitation to visit Granite Chapter, West Paris, Thursday evening.

### BRYANT POND

The Social Union held a Food Sale last Saturday. Quite a good sum was realized.

The Star Birthday Club met with Mrs. Abner Mann last Tuesday afternoon. There were 23 present. The hostesses were Bessie Billings, Edith Abbott, Elsie Cole, Flora Cole, Leola Davis and Mrs. Mann. Refreshments were served and a delightful time was enjoyed by all. An invitation was extended to them to meet with Mrs. Kirk Stowell, Aug. 3, at their cottage at Webb Lake in Weld.

The Social Union met with Mrs. Fannie Crockett Tuesday evening. The next meeting will be with Mrs. Florence Cushman, July 10, at two p. m.

A Universalist Parish has been organized with the following officers:

Clerk—Mrs. Edith Abbott

Trustees—Carl Dudley to serve two and one-half years; G. W. Q. Perham and Robert Crockett, each to serve one and one-half years.

Treasurer—Fred M. Cole

Moderator—Abner Mann

Services next Sunday will be held at 9:30 a. m.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Howard Judkins of Farmington were here over the week end. Royden Billings and Manning Arata returned with them for a few days.

Miss Marjorie Stevens has gone to East Bridgton where she has employment for the summer.

Miss Ann True has returned to her home at New Gloucester.

Mr. and Mrs. Ned Swan received a call Sunday morning from their nephew and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Bird of Worcester, Mass.

Mrs. John Porter of South Paris has been the guest the past week of her daughter, Mrs. Roy Noyes.



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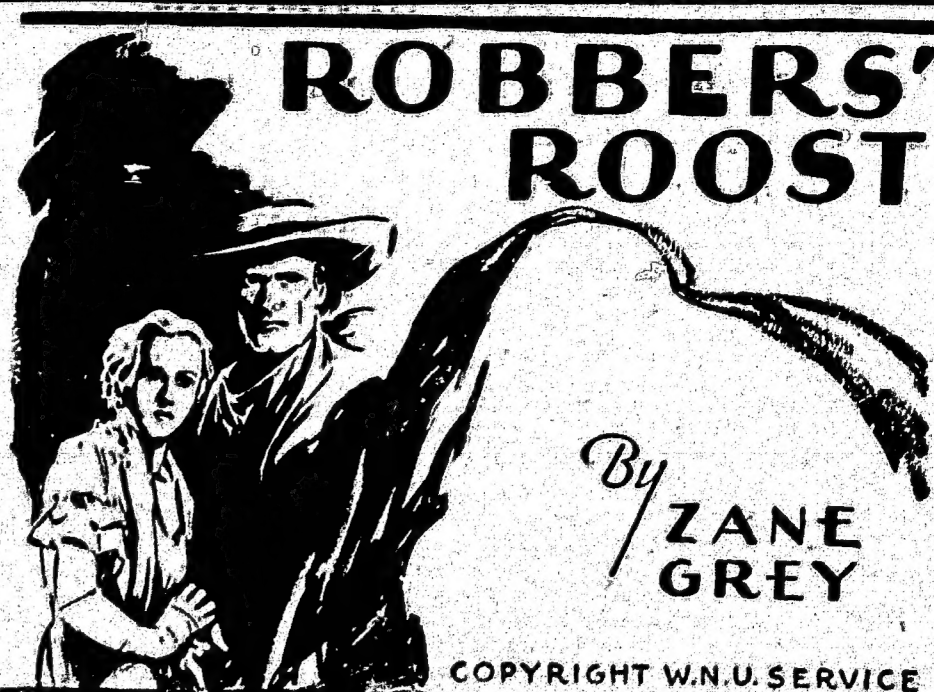
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### CHAPTER I

ONE afternoon in the spring of 1877 a solitary horseman rode down the long, ghastly desert slant in the direction of the ford at Green River.

He was a young man in years, but he had the hard face and eagle eye of the matured in experience of that wild country. He bestrode a superb bay horse, dusty and travel-worn and a little lame. The rider was no slight burden, judging from his height and wide shoulders; moreover, the saddle carried a canteen, a rifle and a pack.

At length he rode into a trail and soon came in sight of the wide band of green cottonwood, willow and arrowweed, and the shining, muddy river. On the far side, up on the level, stood a green patch and a cluster of houses. This was the town of Green River, Utah.

The rider needed to reach that town before dark. His food supply had run out two days ago. But unless there was a boat in which he could row across he would most likely not make it. His horse was too lame to risk the eddies of that heavy, swirling, sand-laden river.

Under a cottonwood, some distance ahead, the rider espied a saddled horse, head down, cropping the grass. He proceeded more slowly, his sharp eyes vigilant, and was certain that he saw a man on the river bank.

Presently he rode out into an opening from which he could see a place where a ferry touched. Moored to the opposite bank was the ferryboat.

The rider sat on his horse, aware that the man he had observed had stepped behind some willows. Such a move might have been casual. Then the man moved into plain sight.

"Howdy," he said laconically. "Howdy," replied the rider. He became aware of a penetrating scrutiny which no doubt resembled his own.

The rider saw a striking figure of a man, gray with dust, booted and spurred, armed to the teeth. His wide sombrero shadowed a sharp bold face.

"Alvin' to cross?" he queried. "Yes, I see a ferry boat over there. Lucky for me if I can cross on it. My horse is all in."

"Noticed that. Fine hoss. Wal, I've been hangin' around for an hour, waitin' to go over. Reckon he'll be along soon."

"Town of Green River, isn't it?"

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## ROBBERS' ROOST

By ZANE GREY

"Depends on what?" he asked.

"Wal, on you. Have you money?"

"About ten dollars."

"Huh. You can't go in the business with that. Not ranchin'."

"Lots of cattle here an' the brakes of the Devil. Henry mountains, too, outfit over there. Air you a tleman?"

"No," replied the rider, the fully.

"Wal, that's straight talk in stranger," replied Hays, who dently took the blunt denia something significant. "Hullo, other rider. . . . Shore the is full of strangers today."

Back up the trail appeared short, heavy man astride a and leading two pack animals.

"I saw him a while back. here comes our ferryman. like a boy."

"Huh. You haven't them eyes nothin'." Wal, we'll get across."

The rider, after another gl at the approaching man with horses, took note of the ferry, and third traveler arrived at bank about the same time.

Hays, after a sharp look at man with the three horses, let animal aboard.

"How much is the fare?" inq the newcomer.

"Two bits."

"For man and beast?"

"Well, sir, the regular fare is bits for each man an' horse."

Whereupon the stout man th the packs off his horses and ried them upon the boat.

"Wal, now what is this?"

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ZANE GREY

immense popularity of the "Robbers' Roost" is to be published serially, may be attributed partly to the fact that he writes something of the real West. Zane Grey has a more intimate knowledge of the real West than any other author who writes of great open spaces for many years he has lived in which he writes.

He was born in Zanesville, Ohio, and spent the early years in the East, practicing dentistry in New York for a time after coming from the University of Pennsylvania, the urge for a more outdoor life caused him to seek his profession and seek his home in the West. For many years he lived in Arizona.

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dared. "Pretty well heeled, for an old bird."

"You'll hear from me, you glib-tongued robber," replied the other, furiously, as he rode away.

Hays sheathed his gun. He did not need to turn to face the rider, for, singularly enough, he had not done anything else.

"How's that strike you, stranger?"

"Pretty neat. It amused me," replied the rider. "The stingy old skinflint deserved to be touched. Wasn't that a slick way to beat the boy here out of six bits?"

"It shore was. An' thet's what riled me. Reckon, though, if he hadn't flashed the wallet I'd been a little more circumspect. Wal, I'll be ridin' along. Air you comin' with me, stranger?"

"Might as well," returned the other.

"Stranger, what'd you say your name was?"

"Call me Wall, Jim Wall," replied the rider.

Hays nonchalantly reassured Wall as to the status of Green River.



"Throw Up Your Hands!" Suddenly called Wall.

"Any dance hall in this burg?" asked Wall.

"Nary dance hall, worse luck. Any weakness for such?"

"Can't say it's a weakness, but the last two I bumped into make me want to steer clear of more."

"Women?" queried the robber.

"It wasn't any fault of mine."

"Wal, women ruined me," returned Hays, sentimentally.

"You don't look it."

"Humph! Wal, here we air," replied the robber, halting before a red store building.

A red-whiskered man appeared in the doorway that led into a saloon and lodging house.

"Howdy, Red."

"Howdy, Hank."

"See anythin' of a fat party, sort of puffy in the face? He was ridin' a roan an' leading two packs."

"Oh, him. Sure. He rode through town yellin' he'd been robbed," returned the man called Red, grinning.

"The devil he did! Who was he, Red?"

"I dunno. Happy was standin' out here, an' when the feller stopped bellerin' that he wanted the sheriff 'cause he'd been robbed, why, Happy up an' says, 'Hey, my friend, did he leave anythin' on you?' Then the feller up an' rode off."

It was this speech of Red's that decided several things for Jim Wall.

"I want to look after my horse," was all he said.

"Take him round back of the barn. I'm dog-tired. Sem's thet lazy Jake after my boss."

This edifice was the last one on the street. The barn mentioned was some distance back, at the end of a pole fence. Upon turning a corner to enter the corral he encountered a loose-jointed young man.

"Say, are you Jake?" he asked.

"You bet," returned the other.

"There's a man out in front who calls himself Hank Hays. He wants you to come get his horse. Do you know him?"

The stable boy's reply to this was to rush off, his boots clatterin'.

"Enough said," muttered Wall to himself. "Mr. Hays stands well in the burg."

He turned and looked at the man who had called him Jake.

"You're thet stranger who rode off with the horse, ain't you?"

"That's thet," replied the other, grinning.

"You're thet feller who rode off with the horse, ain't you?"

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is concerned."

Wall sauntered back and before Hank Hays and the two individuals with whom he was talking were aware of his presence he had seen them. They turned at his slow, clinking step. Neither of the two with Hays was the man called Red.

"Hullo, here you air," spoke up Hays. "I was speakin' of you. Meet Happy Jack an' Brad Lincoln. . . . Fellers, this stranger to Green River answers to the handle of Jim Wall."

Greetings were exchanged, but not one of the three offered a hand. To Wall the man called Happy Jack fitted his name. The only contradictory feature lay in his guns. Like Hank Hays, he packed two. The other, Lincoln, was some one to look at twice—a swarthy, dark, restless-eyed man, who, like Hays and his companion, had nothing of the cowboy stripe in his make-up.

"Let's have a drink," suggested Hays.

"Don't care if I do," responded Wall.

The interior, bright with lamplight, proved to be more pretentious than the outside of the saloon.

The men lined up at the bar, to be served drinks by Red, who was evidently bartender as well as proprietor. Wall missed nothing.

"Cowpuncher?" queried Lincoln.

"Yes. But I've not ridden the range much of late years," replied Wall.

"You've the cut of it. Where you aimin' for?"

"No place in particular," replied Wall guardedly. "Might try ridin' here, if I can get on some outfit."

"On the dodge?" queried Lincoln.

"What might you mean by 'on the dodge'?"

"Anybody particular lookin' for you?"

"I daresay. More than one man."

"So I thought. Friend, you have the cut, the eye, the movement, the hand of a gun-fighter. I happen to know the brand."

"Yes? Well, if that's so I hope it isn't against me in Utah."

Here Hays, who had heard this bit of dialogue, interposed both with person and speech:

"Wall, that's again a man anywhere in the West, generally. So many fools wantin' to try you out! But I reckon it's a ticket for my outfit."

"Your outfit?" questioned Wall.

"Shore. Don't mind Brad. Let's go an' eat. . . . Fellers, we'll see you later."

Wall followed Hays into a back room, where a woman waved them to seats at a table.

At the conclusion of the meal Jim Wall had to guard himself against the feeling of well-being resulting from a full stomach.

"Wal, let's go out an' talk before we join the other fellers," suggested Hays. They returned to the big room. It was empty except for Red, who was filling a lamp.

"They've all gone down to meet the stage. It's overdue now."

"Stage? From where?"

"West, so set easy," laughed Hays. "Thet one from east won't git in till next Wednesday. By that time you won't be here."

"Not? Where will I be, since you seem to know?"

"You may be in the Garden of Eden, eatin' peaches," retorted Hays. "See here. Wal, you're a testy cuss."

Any reason why you can't be a good feller?"

"Come to think of that, yes, there is," returned Wall, thoughtfully.

"All right. Thanks for that much. I reckon I understand you better. An' I'd like to ask you some questions."

"Fire away."

"You said you was broke?" Hays began.

"I will be when I pay for this night's lodging."

"Thet's on me. I'll stake you to some money. You'll want to set in the game with us?"

"Any strings on a loan?"

"Wal, friend, the string is that I want to locate you. Bend over here, so I can get your ear," went on Hays, confidentially, and when Wall had complied he said: "I run true to form today when I held up thet stranger. But it was a blunder, considerin' the iron I have in the fire. Now, listen. Lately I've got in with a rancher over here in the Henry mountains. He's an Englishman with more money than sense. Bought ten thousand head of cattle an' a lot of horses. There's some tough cowboy outfits over there, an' more'n one real rustler outfit. Wal,

this Englishman—his name is Her-

rick—the idee of hirin' all the hands available, cowpunchers, range-

riders, gun-toters an' plain out-an'-out bad men. An' to throw this select outfit agin the whole coun-

try. Herick took a shine to me, made me what he calls his superin-

tendent, an' sent me all over lookin' for hard-shootin', hard-ridin' men. An' that's how you happened to run into me. I call it good luck for us both."

"You've taken me for one of the hard-shootin', hard-ridin' kind, eh?"

"Wal, I want you in my outfit," resumed Hays. "Brad didn't cotton to you, I seen first off. But he's a gun-thrower himself. All the same he's in my outfit an' I reckon you might get along. It's Heeseman who sticks in my craw."

"Heeseman. Who is he?"

"Heeseman is the rustler of Dragon Canyon. None of the ranchers even 'round here know thet, but I know it. He's got a small outfit, but shore enough bad. An' in some way he got wind of Hericks' scheme. Darned if he didn't pack over to the Henrys with his outfit an' start ridin' for him."

"Heeseman saw the same opportunity as you?" queried Wall, quietly.

"Wal, yes, I was comin' to thet," resumed Hays, gruffly. "I got the upper hand, though, an' I'll be the boss. Thet'll lead to fiction. There'll be two factions sooner or later, an' the sooner thet fight comes off the better."

"I see. Less of a division of spoils."

"Wal, I'm no rustler," snapped Hays.

"Excuse me. If it isn't impertinent, may I ask just what you are?"

"Ever hear of Henry Plummer?"

"Can't remember if I did."

"Wal, Plummer flourished some ten an' more years ago, first in Montana an' later in Idaho. He was the greatest robber the West ever developed. Was an officer of the law while he was head of the biggest robber gang the frontier ever know. From Bannock to Levison he kept the miners, the stages, the Wells Fargo in terror for years. . . . Wal, I seen Plummer hanged. I was one of his gang, a young man then in years."

"Thanks for the confidence, Hays," returned Wall, in surprise. "You must have strong interest in me to tell that."

"Shore I have. But I don't care to be classed as a rustler."

"Too low down, eh?"

"It certainly ain't any two-bit cattle stealin'. . . . However, thet's not the point between you an' me. What I want to know is, will you take a job in my outfit?"

"That depends, Hays," returned Wall.

"Any scruples about it? Remember, I come clean with you."

"No. I broke jail in Cheyenne."

"What was you in for?"

"Shot a man. They were goin' to hang me."

"Ahh. Was thet square?"

"I didn't think so. . . . Had to kill the jailer to get out."

"When was all this, Wall?"

"Some years ago."

"An' since then?"

"Been shootin' my way out of one jam after another."

"Much obliged," replied Hays, feelingly. "Wal, you're a hunted man. You're broke. It's about where you cross the divide."

"One more question. What 'bout this Hericks' family?"

"Wal, he ain't got any," rejoined Hays. "We heard somethin' about a sister comin' out, but she never turned up."

"Sister? It'd be a h—l of a note if she did."

"Wal, this shore ain't no country for women."

It seemed to Jim Wall that this sally completed a definitely conscious feeling in his mind toward the self-confessed robber. If it had not been dislike and disgust before, it certainly fixed at that now. Wall sensed a gathering interest in the situation he had happened upon.

Hays called for drinks and in a twinkling had a handshake which he executed solemnly, as if it were a compact which implied honor even among thieves. Shortly afterwards the saloon gradually began to fill with loud-voiced, heavily booted men.

Among them were Happy Jack, Lincoln and a giant of a man with a russet beard, whom Hays introduced as Montana. Then a man, undoubtedly a trapper, entered. He

wore buckskin and seemed out of place in that crowd. The bartender, Red, did a thriving business.

"Seems to be no lack of money," observed Wall to the watchful Hays. "Where do they get it?"

"Wal, you're surprised, I see. So was I. This burg here is a stage stop for points in Utah an' west. Lots of travel. But there's big cattle ranges off toward the Henrys."

"I see. But at that bar there are

half a dozen men who are not travelers or ranchers or riders."

"Wal, for thet matter, all men in these diggin's have got to be riders. It's a long way from one winterin' place to another. But you hit into things, at thet. There's four or five fellers I never seen before."

"Who's the loud feller—the one with the plaid vest?"

"His name is Stud somethin' or other. Seen him before an' was crazy 'bout him."

"Let's play poker."

"Shore, but not just among ourselves."

"Got any money, Hank?" asked Happy Jack.

"Did you ever see me in a game?" Brad, go dig up some suckers. I'm not thet londre they call Stud. He didn't get thet name playin' at tairs."

There were only two large gaming tables, one of which was in use. "Make it six-handed. Come an' set in, Wal," said Hays. "It's a little game of draw. Sky 'em."

Wall laughed. "I can't play penny ante."

"Wal, I'll stake you."

"No, thanks. I'd rather watch."

No sooner had they seated themselves than the man Hays had called Stud strode up.

"Am I bein' left out of this on purpose?" he demanded, and evidently he addressed Hays.

"Lincoln got up the game," replied Hays, coolly.

"You ask my friends to set in, an' not me."

"Wal, if you're so keen about it, why set in with us," went on Hays, fingering a deck of cards. "But if you want to know bad, I'm not stuck on playin' with you."

"Mean thet to insult me?" Stud queried, sharply, his right hand rising to the top of his open vest. If Wall had not observed the bulge of two guns inside this vest he would have divined from Stud's action that there was one at least.

"Not at all," replied Hays, leaning back in his chair. "That significant movement of Stud's had not been lost upon him. A little cold glint appeared in his pale eyes. 'Reckon you're too slick a poker player for Hank Hays. I want a run for my money.'"

"Slick, eh? Wal, I don't mind bein' called thet. It's a compliment. I've got to see the gambler who wouldn't be slick if he could. But when you ask my pard to play an' not me—thet's different."

"Set in, Stud," rejoined Hays civilly, as he began to shuffle the cards. "I feel lucky tonight. Last time you had it all your way."

The game began then with Happy Jack and Wall looking on. A player made rather a pointed remark about Wall's standing behind him.

"Shore I'll change seats with you," replied Hays, obligingly, but it was plain he felt irritated.

"Never mind, Hays," interposed Wall, deliberately. "The gentlemen evidently fears I'll tip off his cards. So I'll stand behind you, if I may."

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## SONGO POND

Mrs. Albert Kimball and Abner Kimball were callers in West Bethel Monday.

Mrs. George Brown and Mrs. Leonard Kimball called on Mrs. Herbert Damon Monday afternoon.

Mrs. Albert Kimball and Mrs. George Brown are stopping a few days with Mrs. Leonard Kimball.

Mrs. Jennie Brown spent Wednesday with Edith Damon.

Mrs. Flora Kimball is stopping a few days at A. B. Kimball's.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Kimball, Mrs. Flora Kimball, Mr. Abbott and Mrs. Lena Kimball went to Norway Saturday.

School closed here Friday, June 22, with a picnic on Brown Hill.

Mr. and Mrs. Wendell Barker called on her folks, Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Kimball one evening last week.

Archie Cummings and two children called at Herbert Damon's on Sunday.

Charles Kimball and Will Bird are doing some farming here on his farm.

Mrs. Will Bird and mother, Mrs. Nellie Flint, spent the day Tuesday with her daughter, Mrs. Herbert Damon.

## Born

In Upton, June 20, to the wife of Martin Colby, a son.

In Bethel, June 21, to the wife of Cleve Waterhouse, a son, Richard Henry.

In Bethel, June 20, to the wife of Angelo Onofrio, a daughter, Beverly Ann.

## Married

In Gorham, N. H., May 5, by J. F. Libby, Justice of the Peace, Albin W. Herrick and Mrs. Claude M. Morton, both of Bethel.

In Bethel, May 23, by Rev. L. A. Edwards, Almon B. Coolidge and Miss Edith Robinson, both of Bethel.

In Bethel, June 25, by Rev. P. J. Clifford, Gerald G. Kennison of Woodstock and Miss Florence Roberts of Locke Mills.

## Died

In Portland, June 26, Mrs. Susan Craig, formerly of Norway, aged 90 years.

## BETHEL AND VICINITY

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Flint have returned from a week's visit with their daughter and family at Stow. Mrs. Dawn N. Wallace, dean of Nason Institute, and James H. Wallace, Jr., of Springvale were at Maple Inn Sunday.

Rand Stowell of Dixfield, who has employment at the Bethel mill of the Stow-MacGregor Corp., is boarding at Maple Inn.

Mrs. Raymond Jackson and two daughters were guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Philbrook, several days last week.

Elsa B. Aubin has passed the State examination for beauty culture etc., and is opening a shop at her home on Mason Street.

Misses Marjorie Berry and Mildred Vall, and Stanley Brown are attending the Epworth League Institute at Kents Hill this week.

Frank Appleby a recovering from an accident which occurred at Locke Mills last week when his hand was thrown against a saw and the cords cut.

At the time tarvia was placed on Main and Church Streets recently it was also applied on Mill Hill, Mechanic Street, and Brighton Avenue.

Robert Littlehale went to Southwick, Mass., this Thursday morning, where he has a position for the summer as Director of Recreational Activities at Camp Frederick Edwards.

Mrs. E. R. Bowdoin, who has been teaching at Castine; her sister, Miss Myra Thurlow of Windham; and Miss Olive Bowdoin of Westbrook Junior College are spending a short time with Mr. Bowdoin at Maple Inn.

Those attending the convention of the American Legion at Bangor this week were Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Bean, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Van, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Lurvey, Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Naimy, Milo McAllister, Winfield Howe, and Charles Bartlett.

Arthur Cutler was at Owl's Head Mountain, Que., Saturday, when the Master Mason's degree was worked by Stanstead Lodge. This is said to be the only place where the degree is exemplified in the outdoors and occurs each year on St. John's Day.

Among those attending the meeting of Oxford Pomona Grange at Bolster's Mills Tuesday were Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Bennett, Mr. and Mrs. F. I. French, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Kimball, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hamlin, Mrs. Roy Bennett, and Miss Gwendolyn Godwin.

The "Bethel Musicians" held their regular meeting and all day picnic at Mrs. Leslie Davis', Tuesday. Games and a general good time were enjoyed. Virginia Davis gave a sketch of the life of Handel and piano selections were given by Barbara Hall and Kathryn Davis. Refreshments were served after which Miss Chase played "Martha" by Slotow. The next meeting will be held with Mrs. Mary Brown.

## SURPRISE PARTY

A surprise party was tendered Mark A. Lapham Monday evening at his home in Locke Mills. The event was planned by Mrs. George Lapham of Rumford in honor of his birthday. The evening was passed in social intercourse, followed with refreshments of sandwiches, coffee and cake.

## THIS WEEK IN HISTORY

June 25—Chas. T. Yerkes, capitalist, born 1837; Custer Massacre, historic Indian fight Battle Big Horn, Mont., 1876; Steamship Norge, wrecked on Rockall Reef, 600 lost, 1894.

June 26—Virginia admitted to the Union 1788; First American troops arrived in France, 1917; Great earthquake destroyed more than 2,000 houses on the Island of Rhodes in the Aegean Sea, 1926.

June 27—First telegraph line, New York to Boston, 1847; Battle of Kennesaw Mountain, Ga., 1864; Colton gin invented, 1831.

June 28—Germany signed Peace Treaty of Versailles, 1919; Battle of Monmouth, N. J., 1778; Otis Skinner, actor, born 1858.

June 29—England levies taxes on American colonies' imports, 1767; Matland-Hogenberger completed non-stop flight, California to Hawaii, 1927; W. E. Borah, senator, born 1866; Molly Pitcher made sergeant, 1778.

June 30—Indian Territory set apart for Indians, 1834; Charles VIII, with Algers, 1815 8ppal France, born 1470; Treaty of Peace with Algers, 1815.

July 1—Battle of Gettysburg, Pa., began 1863; Sir Robert Ball, astronomer, born 1840; President Lincoln called for 300,000 troops, 1862.

## GROVER HILL

Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Tyler and their guests, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Barnard were in Lisbon and Mechanic Falls one day last week. Mr. and Mrs. Barnard have concluded their visit at Mr. Tyler's.

Dr. Marvin May of Avon, Mass., and friend, Dr. Perkins from Brockton, called at N. A. Stearns' Sunday on their way by motor through the White Mountains and into Vermont.

Mr. and Mrs. James Goodrich and daughter, Lois, of Portsmouth, N. H. were week end visitors at E. B. Whitman's.

Sunday visitors at F. A. Mundt's were Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Mills from Wallingford, Vt., Dr. Anson Kendall from Cambridge, Mass., and Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Spinney from Sunday River.

Mr. and Mrs. Cleve Waterhouse have a new little son named Richard Henry. Mrs. Holman from Mill Hill is caring for Mrs. Waterhouse.

Mrs. J. B. Abbott has had as guests her brothers, Edward and Fred Haines from East Bethel.

## HANOVER

Mrs. Henry Foster of Camden is spending some time with her mother, Mrs. Allen Richardson.

Mr. and Mrs. Whitney Daly of Lawrence, Mass., left for their home Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Addison Saunders taking them by auto.

Miss Beatrice Brown of Bethel has been the guest of her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Thomas.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Cummings and family entertained as supper guests at their camp at Silver Lake Friday A. R. Saunders, Wallace Saunders, Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Saunders, also Mr. and Mrs. Whitney Daly of Lawrence, Mass., this being the second anniversary of their marriage. After a bountiful supper, bridge was enjoyed during the evening.

J. C. Dill and granddaughter, Betty Dill, of Bangor were week end guests of Mrs. Alice Staples.

C. F. Saunders and family motored to Lakewood Saturday to the afternoon matinee.

Mrs. George Pratt opened her tea room over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Mills and son were recent guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Worcester.

Miss Doris Worcester left for Rangely Tuesday, where she has employment for the summer.

Oscar Dyke is in Bangor.

## WEST PARIS

"The World's All Right" will be presented by Onward Rebekah Lodge with a cast of 150 local people on Wednesday and Thursday, July 11 and 12, at Grange Hall, West Paris. This show answers the description of something entirely different. It is a hilarious comedy of radio life. The scene of the show is laid in a radio station and several musical numbers are staged as part of the big musical production. Everyone who sees this show will realize The World's All Right. The show is being coached by Miss Hattie A. Metcalfe. More particulars in regard to the people chosen and other details will be announced later.

Rev. and Mrs. Howard A. Markley of Auburn were callers at H. R. Tuell's on their way to Gorham, N. H., Saturday, where Mr. Markley officiated at a wedding.

Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Williams and son, Junior, have returned from Wheaton, Ill., where they attended the graduation of their daughter, Geraldine, from Wheaton College.

## UPTON

Miss Myrtle Pratt, who has just returned from Gorham Normal School, and some friends who came with her, tented at Birch Point over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Colby are greatly rejoiced over the arrival of a nine pound son on June 20th.

Supt. E. O. Judkins is having the schoolhouse painted on the outside. W. L. Brown, Lyman Lane, Frank Vail and C. Seward are doing the work.

S. F. Peaslee is in ill health. Donald Fraser of Magalloway is in town for a while.

Mr. and Mrs. Perry Judkins and family and Mrs. Emma York of Andover were guests of relatives in town Monday this week.

At a meeting of the Larger Parish at Errol, N. H., last Friday evening it was decided to hire Miss Gladys Doughty in this parish to fill the vacancy caused by Rev. Clifford Laws' resignation, until she goes back to school in September.

## CHURCH ACTIVITIES

## METHODIST CHURCH

P. J. Clifford, Pastor  
9:45 Sunday School. Supt. Mrs. Myrtle Lapham.

11 a. m. Morning Worship. Sermon, The Glorifying Presence.

6:30. Epworth League.

7:30. Patriotic Service. Blue Bird Orchestra. Old songs and brief talk by the Pastor.

7:30 Tuesday evening, prayer service.

## CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SOCIETY

Sunday School at 10 o'clock.  
Services Sunday morning at 10:45.

"Christian Science" is the subject of the Lesson-Sermon to be read in all Churches of Christ, Scientist, Sunday, July 1. Among the citations from the Bible is the following: "And the Spirit and the bride say, Come. And let him that heareth say, Come. And let him that is athirst come. And whosoever will, let him take the water of life freely" (Rev. 22:17).

The Lesson-Sermon also includes passages from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy, one of which reads: "The Scriptures are very sacred. Our aim must be to have them understood spiritually for

"How do you do, Mr. Johnson? Is there something I can show you?"

"No, I just dropped in to look around."

"Have you looked over the new 1934 V8?"

"No, I haven't."

"It is surely some car this year. I thought it was good last year, but this year it is a wonderful car. If you have little time, I would like to tell you about some of the features."

"No, I am not in the market for a car, so I do not want to take any of your time."

"Oh, my time is your time. I just like to talk about this Ford car. You know we like to tell about the best that mother used to make. Well, I like to talk about the best Ford, Mr. Ford ever made. Look at the front of the car, chromium plated radiator shell with sloping grille, longer hood sweeping to the fenders and running board windshield with rustless steel frame swinging out for ventilation."

"Notice the lines of the car, stream lines but not extreme. It also has clear-vision ventilation with nothing to obstruct the vision."

"Don't other cars have it?"

"Oh, no."

"Do you have knee action?"

"I wondered if you would ask me that question. do not call it knee action. We call it free action on four wheels. I would like to add that it has the safety of a front axle. That means a lot on any car. It is rubberized spring bolts which does away with so many wearing parts to grease. Some cars have on the front end from 12 to 32 parts to grease."

"Does this car have cast iron pistons?"

"No. The Ford car has aluminum, the same as in high-priced cars, Cadillac, LaSalle, Dodge, Chrysler, Hudson, and 80% of all cars manufactured. So why use cast iron pistons?"

"What kind of shock absorbers on the Ford?"

"Houdaille double acting shock absorbers. Chrysler and Studebaker put them on their highest priced cars, not on their lower priced ones. Another wonderful feature is safety glass in all our DeLuxe models with no extra cost. The fenders are bonderized, will not rust. The body is steel, the safest body to ride in, there is. The body is baked enamel, which retains its luster much better than any other finish. The motor is a V8 which is in the highest priced cars. The Ford is the only car that has one with costs less than \$2000."

"Well, what about the oil?"

"Mr. Johnson, that is Ancient History. Our oil question is settled. It has been for some time. I understand that some of our competitors are having their oil troubles this year. Let's not talk about theirs. Our oil troubles are over."

"I see quite a lot of Fords on the road."

"Yes, This is a Ford year. Here are some figures, quite interesting, Mr. Johnson. Boston, month of May, Ford 1602 cars; No. 2—920; No. 3—581. United States: Ford 162,788; No. 2—146,328; No. 3—91,555. These figures are correct."

"That looks good, but 8 cylinders use more gas than 6."

"If the cylinders were the same size, they would, but in the Ford 8 they are smaller. It has dual down draft carburation, which distributes the gas more evenly than a single one can. Mr. Johnson, if your eight room house has the same heating space as the six; room, it could be heated just as economically, could it not? The same is true of a V8 motor. If the V8 motor is not the most practical and most economical of motors, why do they use them in airplanes, best motor cars, motor boats, and Zeppelins? Mr. Johnson, if this little talk interests you, call again. In the meantime, 'Watch the Fords Go By.'

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## BETHEL AND VICINITY

Miss Grace Lowe has returned from a week's visit at Bethel Inn.

Richard Clifford was hostess for the week end at the Bethel Inn.

Mr. and Mrs. Archie Pool are visiting John P. Tuell.

Charles Tuell was in town last week.

Summer Carlson returned from a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Brown of Corinna were in town last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Lapham of Bethel, were in town last week.

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